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**Diner says Westland** officials' relatives feast on taxpayers

I was in Montana restaurant in the day before Mother's Day. There was a pay phone in the la-

I went by a banquet room where Westland city workers and the police workers were having a

While I was in the stall, a lady from the party apparently wasn't aware that I was in the bathroom. She was calling up her relatives and inviting them to the party for all the free steak and free beer they could eat or drink.

So that's where our city tax dol-

It must be nice to be able to call up your brothers and uncles and cousins and mom's and dad's and offer them free steak and beer on the city's tab.

I was upset by this and went back to my table and told my husband. A whole group discussion started in Montana's dining room.

#### Take another look at Romulus officials' property

This is in regards to the article of last week about Mr. Oakley, Crova, and Bloch

Obviously somebody don't know where Mr. Oakley lives. About Mr. Crova, he owns the property at the southeast corner of Five Points, where the transmission plant is.

About Mr. Bloch, on the appeals board telling everybody else what to do. You ought to take another look at his property from the Middlebelt side.

Then we received this message from the same caller: Thanks Mr. Oakley, for removing your dilapidated fence.

See expanded Sound Off in May 27 Eyewitness

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**New DPW offices** open with a bang

By GENA GIANNUZZI MCN Special Writer

On Romulus 18th Romulus officials celebrated the grand opening of the new Department of Public Works Building on 12600 Wayne Road.

The activities included refreshments, tours, displays, equipment demonstrations, and a moon walk for children.

Mayor Oakley, proud of the new facility said, "It is a lot nicer for public service. I'm real pleased that we've been able to complete such a nice facility for the city. Best of all is that it is completely paid for. There are no financial obligations against it. We can move forward without worrying about payments.

The building, which has been opened since October 2000 was part of ongoing negotiations between Wayne County and the city of Romulus in a trade for land located behind the old Department of Public Works building which the county wanted for airport expansion. Wayne County paid for 90% of the around 4 million dollar project with Romulus paying the remaining 10%.

The new building has 60,000 square feet, replacing the old building which was a little over 30,000 square feet.

"We got a building twice as large as the old one allowing all DPW operations to be housed in one facility with room for engineering, an approved salt dome for housing road salt, and more parking, all for only 10% of the cost of the new facility," said David Cox, Mayor's Assistant.

He continued, "I think that the two finest things about the facility are first of all its design which takes into consideration all of the updated facilities in the area. There was a tremendous amount of research on behalf of the Mayor to make sure it will be good for 30 or more years. Also, to be able to construct a facility of that size, and quality without taking a bond is phenomenal.'

Also present at the grand opening was Councilwoman Debbie Romak who expressed happiness at the completion of the project. "It is really nice, but it is long overdue. The taxpayers should be proud of the building," comment-



Mayor Oakley is proud of the new Department of Public Works building.

## Schools earn top NCA designation



Barth Principal Diane Golka, Alicia Del Toro-Watson, Curriculum Director Tom Dolan, North Central Evaluator Deb Clancy, head of the Romulus NCA team Debbie Juriga, team member Gail Coleman, Dan Hurst, Senior High Principal, Dawn Bonam, Sheila Stasak, Halecreek Principal Sharon Silveri, and newly appointed Romulus Elementary principal Lynne Mossoian.

The North Central Association of College's and Schools recently awarded the Romulus Community School District top school improvement honors.

The seven Romulus Schools, which include the high school, middle school, Barth, Cory, Wick, Halecreek and Merriman elementaries, were among only 55 schools in a 19 state region, to receive the NCA's newest and most challenging endorsement entitled Transi-

The Romulus schools are seven of only 25 schools in the entire

state to earn the designation. Transitions is a school improvement model based on the credentialing of individual students. It is a way for schools to ensure to students, parents and the community that all children are prepared to be successful as they move from school-to-school and ultimately to their chosen voca-

A vital component to the over-

all evaluation is peer review. Educators from nearby communities visit the schools and monitor the progress of the school improvement plan. Romulus has successfully demonstrated over a five year period that their improvement plan merits the new designation.

"I congratulate the Romulus Community Schools for voluntarily pursuing this most difficult evaluation approach," said Michigan NCA director, Dr. William Bushow.

## **Brad Bills fundraiser set**

The 4th annual A-T Walk for a Cure, a fundraiser to help 13year-old Romulus Middle School student Bradley Bills, will be held on Saturday June 2. Registration for the Walk will be at 9 a.m. at Wick Elementary School

That same day a car show will be held at the Romulus Progressive Hall from 12-5 p.m. and a dinner dance will take place, again at the Progressive Hall from 7-11 p.m. Proceeds from both events will go to the A-T

A-T progressively destroys the part of the brain that controls leg, arm, eye movements, and the ability to swallow and breathe. Children with AT are one-thousand times more likely to develop cancer and rarely



**Bradley Bills** 

live beyond their teens. For more information on these events or the A-T Children's Project contact Bob or Denise Bills at 941-9612.

# Violators Beware! Extra police patrols out this weekend

The Romulus Police Department has announced the beginning of two separate traffic enforcement details beginning this week. One of the details will target drivers that drink, and the other will look for seatbelt and child restraint violators.

the Office of Highway Safety and Planning, Romulus plans to spend an additional one hundred overtime hours over the Memorial Day weekend with a specific goal of targeting non-compliant drivers.

## **Ethel Knight** honored

Ethel Knight of Romulus was the recipient of a special recognition award from the Senior Alliance for her extraordinary contributions to the agency.

Mrs. Knight has been on the Senior Alliance Advisory Council since 1995. She has served on both the Review and Nominating Committees for the Agency.

Recently, Mrs. Knight completed thirty years of service for the Social Security Administration. She is currently the district manager of the Highland Park office.



Ethel Knight is flanked by Mike Chappell, Advisory Council Chairman for the Senior Alliance and Mike Simoski, Executive

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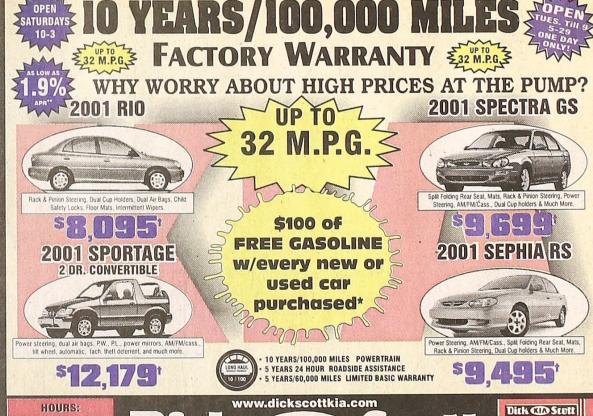
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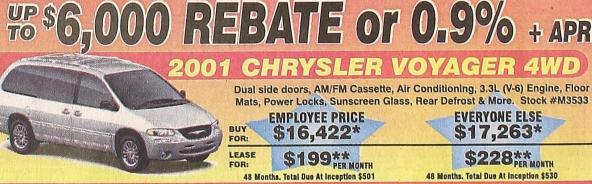
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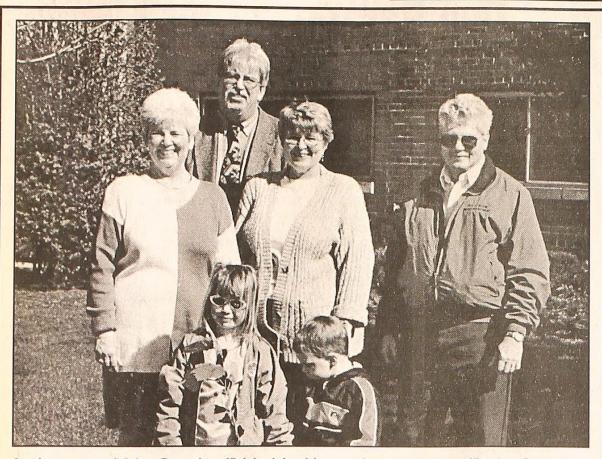
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## NEWS FROM THE CITY OF WAYNE



In observance of Arbor Day, city officials, joined by members of the Beautification Committee, planted a Henry Ford Sycamore Tree in front of the 29th District Court. Taking part of the ceremony were Robert English, assistant City Manager and Tom Dunn, meter supervisor (back row, from left), along with Councilwoman Donna McEachern (front row, from left) and Ann Law, a member of the Beautification Committee. (The two children are not identified.) Arbor Day recognizes the importance of trees to the environment. First held in April, 1873, Arbor Day has become a treeplanting tradition in the United States usually held in the spring in the northern states, and in the winter in the southern states.

## State honors Wayne-Westland adult education director

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

A member of the Wayne-Westland School District's staff was named as the recipient of a prestigious honor awarded by the State of Michigan.

Wayne-Westland school officials announced this week that the Michigan Association of Community and Adult Education (MACAE) Staff Member of the Year award for the State of Michigan has been awarded to Michae-

Deeg is the director of the Adult Education for the WayneWestland schools.

In nominating Deeg, Charlotte Sherman, assistant superintendent for general administration in the Wayne-Westland schools, noted that, "Michaelen Deeg exemplifies the best in adult and community education. She is the director of the Tinkham Adult Education Center in Wayne Westland Community Schools. She quietly and efficiently supervises a multitude of programs.

"It is rare to find an administrator with strong managerial skills who also shines in the area of student relations. Each year at the

graduation ceremony, the largest round of applause is always for Mickey. She encourages every student to strive for success. She has been a cheerleader for adult education her entire professional

As the school year nears its completion, Wayne-Westland will also be saying 'good-bye' to Deeg. She plans to retire after the cur-

The Wayne-Westland School District and its board of education also plan to honor Michaelen Deeg at the board's meeting scheduled for June 12.

# Wayne law enforcement officer to join DEA Team

Stressing the importance of the training that would be provided by the federal government, Wayne Police Chief Mike Sumeracki informed mayor and council Tuesday night of plans to reassign an officer to the Drug Enforcement Administration.

"We have been offered an opportunity to assign an officer to the DEA," Sumeracki announced. "This opportunity has several benefits to the city."

Sumeracki pointed out the officer will gain valuable training from his experience with the DEA and that training would be generally helpful to the department as a whole and specifically to the officer involved.

## Seniors offered File of Life

During a medical emergency, there usually is little time to ask questions and get answers from a person who is in need of help.

A `File of Life' may help identify a victim's medical history, and Wayne's Senior Services Division is offering seniors an opportunity to receive a card that identifies any medicial problems from the service division.

"The File of Life is a mini-medical history card that fits in a magnetized pocket which is placed on the front of a refrigerator," said Nancy Wojewski-Noel, the director of the Wayne Senior Activity Center. "The benefit of this program is that it allows easy access to potentially life-saving information. For our seniors, this means faster treatment and therefore peace of mind."

Noel also said that seniors will receive a mini-pocket with a medical card that they can carry with them in case of an emergency.

The program is being offered free to Wayne seniors through the generosity of the Wayne Police.

The police chief also noted that fill the vacancy created as a result the "limited number of special assignments in small police agencies, such as Wayne, can lead to officer burnout and poor morale.

"This assignment will provide another interest for officers to

If accepted in the DEA, the city would receive 7 percent of confiscated asset forfeitures which, alone, would cover the officer's salary and benefits, according to Sumeracki.

Sumeracki said if mayor and council agreed, the department would hire an additional officer to of the reassignment. There would be no loss of personnel in the de-

"I am requesting City Council's approval to enter into a two-year contract to assign an officer to the DEA Unit at the Wayne County Metropolitan Airport," Sumeracki concluded.

Mayor Robert Dickerson said he felt the chief's proposal had merits and supported it. With Mayor Pro Tem Pam Dobrowolski excused from the meeting, the council voted 6-0 in favor of Sumeracki's request.

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## Curtains going up on 'Little Shop of Horrors'

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

It's one of the "must sees" during the theatrical season.

It's the fantastic "Little Shop of Horrors.

And the production, presented by the Wayne Parks and Recreation Adult Community Theatre, will be on stage at the State Wayne Stage IV Theater.

The theatre is located at 35310 Michigan Avenue.

Little Shop of Horrors will be presented at 8 p.m. on June 15, 16 and 22, while matinees are scheduled for 2 p.m. on June 17 and 24. Tickets are priced at \$12 for adults and \$10 for students and seniors. Tickets are on sale at the Wayne Community Center, 4635

Howe Road, For further information call the recreation department at 721-

Also, the Arts & Entertainment Department will be holding a

Little Shop of Horrors will be presented at 8 p.m. on June 15, 16 and 22, while matinees are schedule for 2 p.m. on June 17 and 24.

"Car Wash" to raise funds for the Adult Community Theatre's production of the "Little Shop of Hor-

The car wash will be held from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. on Saturday, June 2. in the Kmart Parking Lot. located at Wayne Road and Cherry Hill, in the City of Westland.

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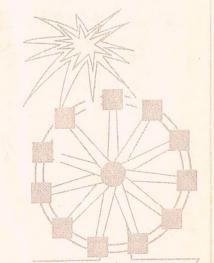
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## News from the city of Inkster

# **32nd Memorial Day Parade set for Monday** Inkster remembers the fallen of all wars

Inkster will observe Memorial Day - 2001 for the

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

In a tradition that was first observed after the end of the Civil War in 1865, the residents of the City of Inkster on Monday will pause to honor the fallen heroes of all wars.

Inkster will observe Memorial Day - 2001 for the 32nd consecutive year with a parade that recalls and remembers the heroism of those who paid with their lives on the battlefields of the world to protect freedom and liberty.

On Monday, at noon, the bugler's call will summon more than 60 units of marchers who represent the military, law enforce-

32nd consecutive year with a parade. ment, the elected, the clubs and

services, the schools and the people of this nation to honor and pay tribute to the fallen heroes.

The parade begins at noon. The marching units will gather at the Cherry Hill Plaza, Cherry Hill and Inkster Road, march southbound on Inkster Road, to the City Hall Complex where Mayor Hilliard Hampton, Jr., and City Council members will greet them on behalf of the city.

Charlie Davis is the Honorary Parade Marshall.

Mr. Davis, a Detroit resident, was a member of the Charles H. Hall Post 9715 of Detroit. A few years ago, the Detroit Post dismantled and merged with the Inkster Post 9040. Davis has enjoyed serving with the comrades of the Inkster Post.

Born in Kentucky, married, and with one daughter and two grandchildren who live in Ohio, Davis served in the U.S. Navy and fought in the South Pacific during World War II.

The theme for the 2001 Inkster

Memorial Day Parade is They Fought With Courage and Honor.

Danesha Latham, the author of the theme and winner of the annual city-sponsored theme contest, will be introduced to the audience by Mayor Hampton, who will also present the talented author with a gift.

There will also be awards presented for "Best Appearance of a Musical Group"; "Best Appearance of a Non-Musical Group"; "Best Theme Float" and "Most Original Float".

The Master of Ceremony is Jerry Carnaghi; the Rev. George Johnson will offer the Invocation.

# CITY OF WAYNE

The City of Wayne Downtown Development Authority will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 6, 2001, at 7:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 3355 South Wayne Road, to consider the proposed FY 2001-2002 portion of the Downtown Development Plan.

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Downtown Development Authority will make a recommendation to the City of Wayne City Council for their consideration.

Peter J. McInerney Community Development Director

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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## CITY OF WAYNE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Wayne Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, June 12, 2001, at 8:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 3355 South Wayne Road, to consider amending Chapter 1288.02 of the Zoning Ordinance regarding setback requirements for accessory

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Planning Commission will make a recommendation to the City Council for its consideration.

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the Van Buren Township Hall, 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren

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Peter J. McInerney Community Development Director

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## Will there be a third school board candidate?

When Mary Stewart (above) was employed by Danny's Super Market on Michigan Avenue, employees, patrons and all admired and loved the gregarious worker. Mary earned the title of "nicest clerk" during her tenure at the popular grocery store

which closed some time ago. The extent of the love for Stewart

was recently evident when loved ones and friends organized a surprise birthday party hosted by her husband, Robert, and

staged at the Booker T. Dozier Recreation Center in Inkster.

Eleven sisters and brothers also traveled from two cities in

Georgia, Atlanta and Fitzgerald, to share in the occasion.

Former customers, neighbors, and longtime friends were present. It also wasn't an easy task to pull Mary away to prepare

for a wedding, however, the ruse worked and she was indeed

surprised. The quests enjoyed a good time and a good meal,

and everyone wished her a Happy, Happy, Birthday. Photo by

School Board candidate?

Theola Jones.

That question may be answered at 6 p.m. on June 4 when the Inkster Coalition for Children holds its annual "Meet the Candidate" program.

With two candidates - James L Richardson, III, and Lisa Perry on the June 11 ballot, the question whether incumbent Sandra Motley-Cook will seek reelection is being debated.

Cook apparently filed a nominating petition that lacked the qualifying number of signatures,

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the year 2000.

accomplishment.

Will there be a third Inkster and the petition apparently was ruled invalid by the school district's election officials. She could possibly wage a campaign as a write-in for one of the two fouryear terms available on the sevenseat school board.

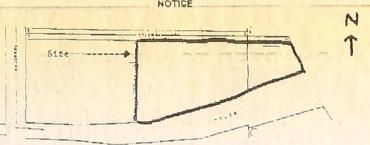
> Priscilla Cook, no relation to Motley-Cook, has announced that she will not seek her seat.

The "Meet the Candidate" program will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Floyd Simmons Multipurpose Building, located on Carlysle Ave., across from the Baylor-Woodson Administration Building.

## NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN ORDINANCE 05-15-01(1) PROPOSED REZONING MAP

First Reading of Ordinance 05-15-01(1), Second reading for adoption will be held at the 7:30 p.m. regular meeting of the Board of Trustees on Tuesday, June 5, 2001 to be held in the Board Room, in the Van Buren Township Hall, 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren Township, Michigan 48111.

\*\*NOT TO SCALE



AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ZONING ORDINANCE 6-6-92, AS AMENDED, OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN BY AMENDING THE ZONING MAP IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN ORDAINS:

The Zoning Map in connection with the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Van Buren shall be amended so that the zoning of the following described property to wit:

> Ordinance Number 05-15-01(1) To rezone to add the Ecorse/Haggerty Road Corridor Plan Overlay to a portion of a parcel and an entire

Legal Description of Property: A portion of parcel V125-83-047-99-0007-000 and all of parcel V125-83-047-99-0009-000, located in the

Southwest 1/4 of Section 12. Section 2. All Ordinances and parts of ordinance in conflict here with are repealed hereby to the extent of such conflict.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption and publication.

Section 4. This Ordinance is hereby declared to have been adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Van Buren, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, at a

Regular Meeting held on the \_ day of \_\_\_\_

Yeas: King, Payne, Budd, Hart, Herman, Jahr and Rochowiak. Nays: None. Absent: None.

This Ordinance shall be immediately recorded by the Township Clerk in the Township Ordinance Book as soon as it is adopted, which record shall be authenticated by the signatures of the Supervisor and Clerk and shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the Township within ten (10) days after its pas-

I hereby certify that Ordinance 05-15-01(1) was published in the Belleville Enterprise, a newspaper circulating within the Charter Township of Van Buren.

Joannie D. Payne, CMC Township Clerk

Cindy C. King Township Supervisor

Adopted: Published: 05/24/01 Effective:

# PROPOSED

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ZONING ORDINANCE 6-6-92, AS AMENDED, OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN BY AMENDING THE ZONING MAP IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN ORDAINS:

The Zoning Map in connection with the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Van Buren shall be amended so that the zoning of the following described property to wit:

Ordinance Number 05-15-01(2)

To rezone the following from C-1 to M-1 and AG to

**Legal Description of Property:** A portion of parcel V125-83-047-99-0007-000 and all

of parcel V125-83-047-99-0009-000, located in the Southwest 1/4 of Section 12.

All Ordinances and parts of ordinance in conflict here Section 2. with are repealed hereby to the extent of such conflict.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption and publication.

Section 4. This Ordinance is hereby declared to have been adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Van Buren, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, at a Regular Meeting held on the \_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

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Joannie D. Payne, CMC Township Clerk

Cindy C. King Township Supervisor

Adopted: Published: 05/24/01 Effective:

# Hammons inducted into honors society

A local resident was recently inducted into an international nursing honors society.

Officials at the Georgia Baptist College of Nursing Mercer University this week announced that Taris Hammons of Inkster was inducted into Pi Gamma Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International.

Sigma Theta Tau International is the honors society for nurses and recognizes scholarship, leadership, and professionalism.

plaque in recognition of her

achievement. The plaque was pre-

sented to her, and other winners,

the awards to 16 agents out of

more than 400 insurance associa-

The auto club's CEO presented

by AAA CEO Charles Podowski.

Karen Yelder

Hammons graduated from Georgia Baptist College of Nursing in May with a baccalaureate degree in nursing.

## CITY OF INKSTER **PUBLIC AUCTION**

Please be advised that a Public Auction will take place at the Inkster Police Department, 27301 S. River Park Drive at 9 a.m., on

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 2001

Inspection of items will take place at 8:30 a.m. Items which will be auctioned may include property confiscated, forfeited or abandoned and surplus items from various city departments.

Kimberly Turner Inkster City Clerk

Publish:

May 17, 2001 May 24, 2001 May 31, 2001

# **Explorers bring home first place honors**

The Romulus Police Explorers took home the first place medal in the category of crime scene investigation at statewide competition held in Alpena a couple of

Overall, the Romulus explorers placed fifteenth our of twentysix competing teams.

The explorers were judged in five separate categories; felony traffic stop, building searches, domestic violence intervention, traffic accident investigation and the aforementioned crime scene search. The first place trophy was won by a team from Bay City.

This is the first time the Romulus Explorers have entered the competition. Group members include Jason Orme, Tiara Adams, Justin Benci, Jason Gibson, Joseph Miller, Christine Milligan, and Lynette Bailey.

Officer Jeff Lazarski, the Romulus Post advisor said, "Given the maturity level and intelligence of the current Romulus Explorers, I have no doubt we will take home the Governor's Cup (first place) next year."

The Romulus Police Explorers consists of teens at least fourteen years old who have an interest in pursuing a career in law enforce-



The Romulus Police Explorers are the only first-time participants ever to win a first place

ment. For more information call

#### VAN BUREN PUBLIC SCHOOLS medal in statewide competition. COUNTIES OF WAYNE AND WASHTENAW, MICHIGAN Lazarski at 942-6877.

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Public Accuracy Test for the June 11, 2001, Regular Schools Election has been scheduled for Monday, June 4, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. at Van Buren Public Schools, Administration Building, located at 555 W. Columbia Avenue, Belleville, Michigan.

The Public Accuracy Test is conducted to determine that the program and the computer being used to tabulate the results of the election counts the vote in the manner prescribed by law.

Ralph A. Nodwell Secretary, Board of Education Van Buren Public Schools Counties of Wayne and Washtenaw, Michigan

Published: May 24, 2001

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## **ABSTRACT** WAYNE CITY COUNCIL **MEETING NO. 2001-22** MAY 15, 2001

Regular Meeting of the City Council held Tuesday, May 15, 2001 at 8:00 p.m. at Wayne City Hall. Members Present: Dickerson, McEachern, Haidous, Powser, Lentine, Shackelford. Member Absent: Dobrowolski, excused. Moment of silence was held for Tony Drager. Approved minutes of Regular Meeting May 1, 2001. Held Public Hearings and approved Fiscal Year '01-'02 Budget, Millage Rate, Water & Sewer Rates, and Parks & Recreation Department Fees. APPROVED: 11th Annual Red October Run on October 6, 2001 and a Hold Harmless Agreement between the City and Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center; bids awarded for the Ice Arena locker room doors and benches and tables for the Ice Arena; First Reading of amendments to Ordinance No. 868, Taxicabs, Ordinance No. 1412.06(a), Board of Examiners-Establishment, Powers, Ordinance No. 1452.02, Electricians and Electrical Contractors, Ordinance No. 840, Mechanical and Electronic Amusement Devices, Ordinance No. 1414, Plumbing Code, Ordinance No. 1416, Mechanical Code, and of two anti-blight ordinances; accepted resignation of Dale Butler from the Planning Commission; appointment of Michael J. MacDonald and Raymond E. Shaffer to the Development Area Citizens Council and Robert Bickes to the Planning Commission; declared 35550 Michigan Avenue West a Hazard/Nuisance; resolution to Wayne County regarding the Streetscape Project-Phase III; fourth year of a potential five-year contract with R.S. contracting for pavement marking; Change Order #1/Final with Disenss Ornamental Iron; two-year contract for the period June, 2001 through June, 2003, to provide a Wayne Police Officer to the Drug Enforcement Administration at Wayne County Detroit Metropolitan Airport; Professional Services Agreement with Ayres, Lewis, Norris & May, Inc., to prepare a Clean Michigan Initiative grant application concerning City Parking Lot No. 1; third year of a potential five-year contract with Bratcher Electric to provide electrical service for Wheelfest 2001; purchase of a leased 1996 Chevrolet Lumina for the D.A.R.E. Program; "letter of understanding" regarding the Advanced Warning System Project with the cities of Wayne and Westland, the SCX Railroad and the Michigan Department of Transportation; Weed List No. 2001-2; Professional Services Agreement with Coquillard, Dundon, Petersen & Argenta, Inc., for design services for the Interim Fire Station/DPW Building; Professional Services Agreement with CDPA Construction Managers, Inc., for construction management services for the Interim Fire Station/DPW Building; appointment of Bruce Wolfgram to the position of Assistant Personnel Director; Site Plans #2001-08, Attorney Ronald Ruark, 3023 South Wayne Road; #2001-09 Powerride Marine, 31731 Michigan Avenue; #2001-10 Veterans Outreach Center, 4924 South Wayne Road. Called Public Hearings for June 19, 2001 at 8:00 p.m. to discuss the Downtown Development Authority Proposed Budget for FY '01 -'02, to consider a proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, Chapter 1288.03, regarding the location of front doors in residential zones, and Chapter 1288.02g(3), regarding set back requirement for accessory buildings. Received and filed Communications and Reports and Consent Calendar. Adjourned at 11:14 p.m.

Mary E. Carney City Clerk

Publish: May 24, 2001

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN, WAYNE COUNTY ORDINANCE 05-15-01(3)

First reading of Ordinance. Second reading for adoption will be held at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees to be held at 7:30 p.m. on June 5, 2001 in the Board Room, Van Buren Township Hall, 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren Township, Michigan, 48111.

An Ordinance to amend Zoning Ordinance, 6-2-92, as amended of the Charter Township of Van Buren to add a new Article VI, Parking and Loading Requirements:

## THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN ORDAINS:

ARTICLE II DEFINITIONS

SECTION 2.02 SPECIFIC TERMS ARTICLE II DEFINITION SECTION 2

SECTION 2.02 SPECIFIC TERMS

**SECTION 3** ARTICLE XII C-1, GENERAL BUSINESS DISTRICT

SECTION 13.03.A AUTOMOBILE CAR WASH ESTABLISH-

MENTS WHEN COMPLETELY ENCLOSED

WITHIN A BUILDING, INCLUDING

STEAM-CLEANING, BUT NOT RUST

PROFFING

SECTION 4 ARTICLE VI, PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

SECTION 6.01 OFF-STREET PARKING REQUIREMENTS

SECTION 6.02 OFF-STREET PARKING SPACE LAYOUT, DESIGN STANDARDS, CONSTRUCTION

AND MAINTENANCE

SECTION 6.03 OFF-STREET LOADING AND UNLOADING

SECTION 5 CONFLICTS SECTION 6 SEVERABILITY SECTION 7 EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance is hereby declared to have been adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Van Buren, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, at a Regular Meeting called and held on

\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

King, Payne, Budd, Hart, Herman, Jahr and YEAS:

Rochowiak.

NAYS: None. ABSENT: None.

This Ordinance shall be immediately recorded by the Township Clerk in the Township Ordinance Book as soon as it is adopted, which record shall be authenticated by the signatures of the Supervisor and Clerk and shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the Township within ten (10) days after its pas-

I hereby approve, of the foregoing Ordinance

Joannie D. Payne, CMC Township Clerk

Cindy C. King Township Supervisor

PUBLISHED: May 24, 2001



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## **ROMULUS COMMUNITY** SCHOOLS ADVERTISEMENT TO BID

- 1. Barton Marlow Company, requests bids on behalf of Romulus Community Schools for the construction of the Elementary Science Room Renovations for Bid Package No. 7 work. Bid proposals will be received by Romulus Community Schools, 36540 Grant Road, Romulus, MI 48174, delivery or mail, to the attention of Mr. William Routhier by 2:00 p.m. local time on June 14, 2001.
- 2. Proposal shall be prepared in accordance with the Project Manual dated May 14, 2001 by the Barton Malow Company and contract and construction documents prepared by the Architect dated April

BID PACKAGE NO. 7 - ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS ELEMENTARY SCIENCE ROOM RENOVA-

- 06000 General Trades
- 15050 Mechanical
- 16050 Electrical
- . Accepted bidders will be required, as a condition precedent to award of contract, to furnish in the amount to 100% of the contract price, satisfactory Performance Bond and Payment Bond and Certificates of Insurance as required in the Project Manual. This project is subject to state sales tax and/or use tax.
- 4. Bidding documents can be obtained from Bartow Malow Company at the Romulus Schools field office located at: o650 S. Wayne Rd., Romulus, MI 48174, phone (734) 941-0869, fax: (734) 941-1278. A refundable deposit of \$50.00 per document set is required.
- 5. A pre-bid conference and site visit/tour will be held for all trades at Barth Elementary School located at 38207 Barth Road, Romulus, MI 48174 in the Art Room located across the hall from the office on May 22, 2001 at 1:30 p.m.

Publish: May 20, 2001 May 24, 2001

## **CITY OF ROMULUS ORDINANCE NO. 01-145**

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL SECTIONS 5-71 THROUGH AND INCLUDING 5-79 OF CHAPTER 5, CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN.

THE CITY OF ROMULUS, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. The Code of Ordinances for the City of Romulus, Sections 5-71 through 5-79 of Chapter 5, are hereby repealed in their entirety.

Section 2. Savings Clause. Nothing in this Ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liabilities incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or Ordinance be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 3. Severability. Should any word, sentence, phrase or any portion of this Ordinance be held in a manner invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction or by any state agency having authority to do so for any reason whatsoever, such holdings shall be construed and limited to such word, sentence, phrase, or any portion of the Ordinance held to be so invalid and shall not be construed as affecting the validity of any of the remaining words, sentences, phrases or portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Conflicting Ordinances. All prior existing Ordinances adopted by the City of Romulus inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby expressly repealed.

Section 5. Readings. This Ordinance shall be given a first reading on April 23, 2001, shall be enacted on May 7, 2001 and shall be published on or before may 24, 2001 and shall be effective May 24,

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Romulus this 7th day of May, 2001.

William Oakley, Mayor

Linda Choate, City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance as passed by the City Council of the City of Romulus at a regular Council Meeting held in the City Council Room in said City on the 7th day of May, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk

I further certify that the foregoing was published in the Romulus Roman Newspaper, a newspaper printed in the City of Romulus, on the 24th day of May, 2001.

Linda Choate, City Clerk

Within forty-five (45) days after publication of any ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance continuing in effect. Said petition shall contain the text of such ordinance and shall be signed by not less than six-percent (6%) of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and the Council shall immediately reconsider such ordinance.

April 23, 2001 Introduced: Adopted: May 7, 2001 May 24, 2001 Published:

# Throw the book at Gordon

The verdict is in and jurors rightfully convicted Belleville teen Dustin Gordon of second degree murder in the shooting death of his 12-year-old sister, Crystal.

I hope Judge Sean Cox has the guts to "throw the book" at this misguided and very dangerous 18-year-old.

For those of you who haven't been following the story in the BELLEVILLE EN-TERPRISE, Gordon shot his sister in the forehead last August 15 while watching violent movies in his bedroom.

Gordon, who was well-known in Belleville as a violent kid who carried a gun and abused his kid sister was a "ticking time bomb" waiting to explode. He forced his sister to commit sex acts on his friends, and when she didn't comply he brutally beat her. Teen after teen took the witness stand in a five day trial telling one unbelievable tale after another about the goings-on at the Gordon household.

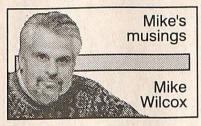
It paints a pretty ugly picture of the teen scene in our area. If you believe these accounts, violence, drugs and sex were a "way of life" with these teens. It is hard for me to comprehend teenagers with guns, but it is beyond belief when I hear about a 12-year-old child administering oral sex to numerous guys-many of whom paid her brother for the service.

Is this 20th century Thailand or 21st century Belleville? This certainly can't be the norm, or is it?

Equally disturbing is the fact that so many teenagers knew about Dustin's gun and his violent behavior towards his sister. Yet, not one, ever went to a mother, father, teacher, counselor or any adult to

pass on the information.

Dustin and his friends were allowed to live in this world where using a gun



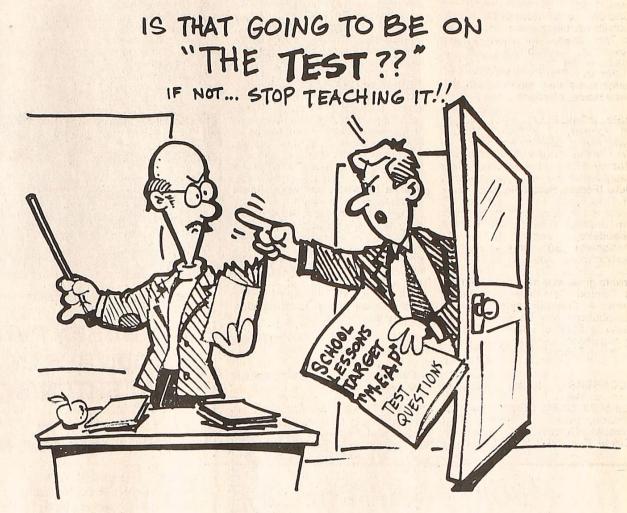
was a source of pride and selling his sister for sex was cool. Poor Crystal, the victim in this world, was abused to no end, and for what ever reason, her friends failed to get her help.

Most disturbing, however, is that Crystal's parents, weren't aware of their son's delinquency. He killed his sister while his father was home. His mother will probably face charges for allegedly tampering with witnesses in an effort to persuade them to testify in favor of Dustin.

Talk about dysfunctional families — the Gordon's seem to take top honors. Brother kills sister, sister is performing sex acts at age 12, mother attempts to tamper with witnesses, and father is home while daughter is murdered.

I've never heard of a better "movie made for television" plot. This one, however, is frighteningly true and happened in your "own backyard."

I guess the old adage, it's 8 p.m., do you know where your child is at, applies more than ever these days. Unsupervised teenagers can get into a whole lotta trouble. As mothers and fathers we have to do a better job communicating with our children. Maybe if the Gordon's had talked more with Dustin, Crystal would still be



# **Bored teens need wave pool**

ing sideshow, it was an occasional

one. Every summer, it welcomed

residents to an all-day open house

and tower tours. On the runway, it

was if the Yankee Air Force Muse-

um had come to life. Pilots wel-

comed families into military

borne clubs would fly in for a buf-

North Oakland County residents

would stop by for a quick drink. At

night, they'd come back for some

beach volleyball courts were set-

ment, the airport generated busi-

ness - an airport park and at

least one strip, home of the first

Shark Club, which spilled over in-

Because the Pontiac-Oakland

County Airport was in the district

of former Congressman Bob Carr,

an airport booster, it became an in-

ternational airport with customs

inspectors. That not only stimulat-

ed the local economy, but it en-

ticed a lot of jet setters to move

near the airport. It certainly

brought in a lot of big spenders

and their American Express cards.

aren't everybody's cup of tea, and

that there are many legitimate

reasons to oppose or avoid them, I

was struck by how one-sided the

bate about the Splash Factory, an

\$8 million water park proposed by

Supervisor Tom Yack for property

I see a similar MO in the de-

Mettetal debate was.

While I know that airports

During warm weather months,

Besides providing entertain-

fet brunch at the Cafe Max.

companionship or action.

to Canton.

On Sundays, pilots and air-

During happy hour, many

a day of hot dogs, beer, flights,

I lived most of my adult life in Waterford, a township with two enterprises that would give many Canton residents the heebie-jeebies - an airport and a water

Not only did I survive both menaces without mishap or injury, but I remember them fondly.

Take the Pontiac-Oakland County Airport, a commercial airport sandwiched between M-59 and Williams Lake. My family frequented Cafe Max, the airport eatery. Dining runway-side, we watched planes land while we waited for our pizza to be served.

Since I was mesmerized by taxing planes, takeoffs and landings, I wonder what made me so different than my Canton neighbors, who seem to dislike airports

in their backyards. The difference became apparent when Mettetal Airport asked the Canton Township Board for permission to shift its runway a few hundred feet to bring the runway up to Federal Aviation Agency safety standards. The request prompted hundreds of neighbors to scream bloody mur-

The shift was unsafe, they said. It would lead to an expansion of the airport. It would make a fool out of the township, who had earlier been tricked by the state into believing that the airport was up to FAA specs.

It's true that in the past the state had played fast and loose with the truth about Mettatal's failure to meet safety regulations. It may or may not be true that the state had ulterior motives for shifting the runway. Yet I can't believe that nobody pointed out that small airports can be fun and, in a sprawling township, add some variety to the roadside strips, fry pits, light industrial huts, and public school campuses.

While the Pontiac-Oakland County Airport was not an ongo-

near Ford and Ridge roads. Only the negative side of the proposal is being discussed, when I know from my Waterford experience that there are two sides to the is-Waterford had a water park. As Ivan

Helfman

a waterfront homeowner who lived for his water toys, I never dipped in the park's wave pool. But as a reporter for the Waterford Reminder (part of MCN owner Mike Wilcox's first newspaper chain), I often visited the park on assignment.

What I saw were hundreds of active adolescents and teenagers. What I heard, above the rush of the waves, was the roar of a happy crowd, emersed half in artificial surf, half in honest-to-goodness sunlight.

An old lake-dweller, perhaps l am too sentimental about sun and water. But there must be something to it. Half of Americans live near fresh or salt water, our biggest cities being New York and Los Angeles; our favorite vacation spots being Florida or Hawaii.

If it were up to me, I would fly all our teenagers go to Waikiki for the summer from Mettetal Airport. But I can't afford it. So why not do the best practical thing and build a water park? With a \$3.5 million Wayne County grant in hand, Canton can afford it.

What Canton cannot due is shortchange its sons and daughters. Sure there are great soccer leagues, a few neighborhood skating parks, and a novel Frisbee golf course, but not enough. Every time we do a story on Canton's teen scene, teens complain about not having enough to do in the

township. But before the township can address the complaints, it must listen to them. During the water park debate, teens were ignored. Instead, the board discussed adult problems — noise, traffic, and

property values. It's listening time.

# What could go wrong next?

School test fiasco, contract irregularities, conflicts of interest, poisoning of the rivers and lakes, government land grabs of private property, what is going on?

In a recent public embarrassment, the Michigan Board of Education has had to back off from test results because the results first reported are politically unacceptable. This has left us to wonder is the testing improper or are the students not being taught what they need to know. On top of this, we now hear that the large companies that prepare and grade the tests had a glitch in their computer software. Thousands of students across the country (including Michigan) are being sent to summer school on the basis of test scores that are now admitted to be erroneous. The superintendent in New York City even lost his job over reading scores that were The FBI is now investigating

the City of Detroit, Wayne County and several other communities in the area for contract irregularities involving blatant conflicts of inter-

Over the weekend, a Channel 7 report documented the environmental damage caused by the



Metro (Wayne County) airport including the dying of fish from the chemicals dumped into the sewers by the airport. This has been going on for years in the City of Romulus, which completely surrounds the airport. What has the city done about it? Nothing, but complain about the odor. Instead, urged on by RECAP, it has spent well over a million dollars in court trying to stop an injection well certified as safe by the EPA and MDEQ. The county and the waste treatment company that was supposed to correct the problem are finally going to be fined by MDEQ.

Meanwhile, the county is running roughshod over private property owners condemning property to be used in its Pinnacle project for "high tech" economic development. City officials in Romulus and Huron Township, who may become partners with the county, are conducting contacts with the county under a news blackout.

The county expects to profit by millions of dollars when the properties are resold or leased to private companies.

In Huron Township, the township supervisor John Mitchell refuses to tell even his board members what is going on. Under an "ethics" ordinance recently passed (over Mitchell's opposition), he should have nothing to do with negotiations for the project. Mitchell owns property that will be purchased for the project (through condemnation said to have been requested by Mitchell) for several million dollars.

Now there is a bill working its way through the Michigan Legislature that would legitimatize the process of taking private property to turn over to developers. It would approve condemnation of private property as "blighting" if the local government wants it for a different use.

And where is the public outcry as all of this unfolds? Silence, except for a few activists who have engineered successful recall elections in the area. None of the recalls involved the subjects covered above.

It's politics as usual.

## LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

## Friends, family celebrate Hays' 60th

More than 175 friends, family relatives, and former high school classmates helped to celebrate the 60th anniversary of Frederick W. and Helen E. Hay on Saturday, March 24, at the Romulus Progressive Hall. This memorable occasion was coordinated by their four children: Pearl Varner, Margie Baird, Fred Hay Jr., and Carla Cox. Both Fred and Helen have been lifelong residents of Romulus and have lived at their present farm home at 14170 Huron River Drive in Romulus, Michigan, since their first nuptial vows back in March 29, 1941.

and difficult marimba solo entitled, "Flight of the Bumblebee." It was performed by the couple's fifteen-year-old grandson, William Frederick Cox, of Belleville. Kathleen Hay, daughter-in-law of Helen and Fred, gave the invocation. Family and guests were then invited to a delicious buffet dinner that included Swiss steak, chicken, mostaccioli, a selection of salads, and vegetables, desserts, and a tiered "anniversary" cake. Following the meal, everyone was invited to view a large display of memorabilia including photographs, awards, and video tapes depicting Evening festivities included a Fred and Helen's family life durbrief introductory ceremony. A ing the past six decades. Live

talented Wiegenka brothers, knowns as "The Avalons." This band was the same group that played at the couples' actual wedding, as well as their 50th Anniversary celebration just ten years ago. Band members were high school classmates of Fred and Helen.

Two of the original attendants from Fred and Helen's wedding are alive and well and are local Romulus residents. They include Mercedes (Hay) Wagner, a favorite cousin of the groom and bridesmaid, and Pearl M. Morris, sister of Helen and pianist who played the couples' wedding march. Another guest of distinction was Mrs. Melba Herzog of Lakeview, Michi-

special highlight was a beautiful dance music was provided by the gan. At age 94, she was the oldest guest present, as well as the wife of the late Glenn W. Herzog, former Superintendent of the Romulus Public Schools. Herzog dedicated 20 years of his life in the early development of our fine school system. Mrs. Herzog herself was an early principal and teacher at the Romulus High School. The Herzog family resided in the community until 1945.

Fred and Helen hope to celebrate their 65th Anniversary with family and friends in the near future! Congratulations and best of wishes to the happy couple.

Sincerely, Helen Hay Romulus



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## **OBITUARIES**

ARMSTRONG, HELEN NETTIE, 72 of Romulus, passed away May 15. Loving mother of Linda Amos, Cathy Jones, Judy Baumgartner, and Timothy (Sandi) Armstrong. Dear sister of Florence Barton, Robert Schultz, and David Schultz. Also survived by ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held at St. Michael Lutheran Church with Reverend Robert Schultz officiating. Interment followed at Tyler Street Cemetery, Van Buren Township. Contributions can be made in her honor to St. Michael Lutheran Church. Funeral arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home, Westland.

BIRK, ROSIE ELLEN, 87 of Calumet, MI (formerly of Belleville), passed away May 8. Beloved wife of the late Fred W. Birk. Dear mother of Fredrick (Nancy) Birk of Belleville. Dear daughter of the late Alphonse and Delia (Forget) Beaudette. Dear sister of Clara Jacques of Laurium, MI. Preceded in death by her husband, two brothers (Francis and George Beaudette), and two sisters (Antionette Guy and Josephine Guibord). She was a member of St. Paul Catholic Church of Calumet. Private grave side services were held at Denton Cemetery with Pastor James A. Frey officiating. Memorial contributions can be made in her name to St. Paul Lutheran Church. Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home.

BUCKBERRY, HUGH FRED, of Romulus, passed away May 10 at the age of 83. Loving father of Hugh E. (Sharon) Buckberry, Hester (Ron) Mostoller, Carolyn (Bill) Stone, Jan (Clif) St. Cyr, and Deborah Buckberry

(Gilman). Dear brother of Verna (Bill) Stubblefield and Donald V. (Joan) Buckberry. He is also survived by thirteen grandchildren, twenty-two great-grandchildren, fifteen step grandchildren, twenty-eight step great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Christine; three siblings; and one grandchild. Services were held at Crane Funeral Home Monday May 14 with Rev. William Kren of the Community Methodist Church officiating. Internment followed at Michigan Memorial Park

FISHER, MICHAEL, 51 of Belleville, passed away May 7. Beloved husband of Cheryl L. (Tingley) Fisher. Dear father of Amy (Chuck) Van Horn of Menominee, MI; Kevin Moses of Rives Junction, MI; and Jason (Margie Richards) Moses of Jackson, MI. Dear son of the late David Fisher and Eva Lee Weeks of Nevada. Dearest grandson of Tressa Hutsell of Missouri. Dear brother of Mark (Karen) Fisher of Nevada. Also survived by six grandchildren. Preceded in death by his father and sister Deborah Susan Fisher. He was employed as a manager for a Mel Farr car dealership in Ferndale. A memorial service was held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Pastor Roger Lands officiating. Cremation rites were accorded.

FLODIN, BERNICE M., 81 of Canton, passed away May 13. Beloved wife of the late John W. Flodin. Dear mother of Mary Jo (Richard) Marsh of Belleville. Dear daughter of the late Edgar and Stella (Baker) McConalogue. Dear sister of Marion Kidwell of Romulus and Patrick McConalogue of Beverly Hills, FL

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Dearest grandmother of Elizabeth Marsh Faler of Ann Arbor, Catherine Marsh of New York City, NY and Diana Marsh of Belleville. She was employed as an elementary school for Wayne-Westland teacher Schools. She also bred and showed German Shepherds. She enjoyed watching NCAA basketball. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Father John R. Hagan officiating. Interment followed at Sheldon Cemetery, Canton. Memorial contributions can be made in her honor to the Trinity Episcopal Church Building Fund.

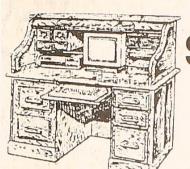
HOOVER, JANICE, 63 of Crossville, TN passed away May 6. She was born June 21, 1937 in Oceana, WV to Ulvert and Agnes Brown Toler. Mrs. Hoover was a school bus driver for Romulus Public Schools and was of the Baptist Faith. Loving mother of Nancy Hoover-Fore and Jeannette Hoover of Crossville, TN and Debra Coburn, Kimberly Hoover, and Terry Kozik all of Michigan. Dear sister of U.J. Toler of West Virginia; Rodney Toler of Crossville, TN; Ronnie Toler of West Virginia; and Shirley Cicora of Connecticut. She is also survived by nine grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband Leroy

Hoover; parents Ulvert and Agnes Toler; and her brother Homer Toler. Funeral services were held at the Chapel of Bilbrey Funeral Home on May 10 with burial in Green Acres Memory Gardens. Brother Brian Brannon officiated with special music by Lantana Road Baptist Church

KING, ELIZABETH, 89 of Wayne, passed away May 7. Beloved mother

Dennis, Carolynn Prough, and the late Howard. Dear sister of Louise Crane. Dear grandmother of Mary, Elizabeth, Dennis Jr. Michael. Kathleen, Bud, Bob, and Theresa. She is also survived by nineteen great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral mass was held at Sts. Simon & Jude Catholic Church. Arrangements made by Harry J. Will Funeral Home.

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### CITY OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE OF **NUISANCE & HAZARD**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a nuisance and safety hazard existed, consisting of an unsecured door, declared by the Council to be dangerous to the welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Wayne, on property located at 35550 West Michigan Avenue, Tax ID No. 006-09-0015-002

By order of the City Manager, the building was secured on an emergency basis. The costs to abate the hazard will be assessed to the owner of record.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WAYNE

Mary E. Carney City Clerk

Publish: May 24, 2001

### CITY OF INKSTER

Department of Public Service 26900 Princeton, Inkster MI 48141 (313) 563-9773 (313) 274-5774 - FAX

Consumer Annual Report on Water Quality

#### Introduction

In compliance with the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments, the City of Inkster Water Department is providing its customers with the 2000 annual report on water quality. This report explains where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and State standards. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water.

### What is the Source of My Water?

The City of Inkster purchases water wholesale from the City of the Detroit. Two (2) of the five (5) Detroit water treatment plants supply water to the City of Inkster.

## Specifically:

- Springwells Water Treatment Plant, located at Warren Road and Springwells, in the City of Detroit. This plant draws its raw surface water from the Belle Isle intakes on the East end of the island. This site is near the juncture of Lake St. Clair and the mouth of the Detroit River.
- Southwest Water Treatment Plant, located on Moran Road in Allen Park, draws its raw surface water from the Detroit River near Fighting Island. The actual intake lies east of the International boundary line between Canada and the United States.

Data is from various maps and drawings held by (DWDS) Note: Detroit Water and Sewer Department.

## Opportunities For Public Participation

The regular scheduled council meetings are the first and third Monday of each month. There are also public hearing and meetings open to the public. To confirm dates and times or for information on other activities, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (313) 563-9781.

## Do I Need to Take Special Precautions?

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than is the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800) 426-4791.

## Why are There Contaminants in My Water?

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800) 426-4791.

> The sources of drinking water (both tap and bottle water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring mineral and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water

before we treat it include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.

- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organics, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations, which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which must provide the same protection for public

#### Is our Water System Meeting Other Rules That Govern Our Operations?

The City of Inkster is currently in Compliance with State and Federal requirements regarding water quality.

## Water Quality Data Table

The water quality data table on pages 5 - 7 list all the contaminants that were detected during monitoring for the 1999 calendar year. The presence of these contaminants in the water, does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Definitions of the terms and abbreviations used in the table are listed below.

0 1 1		Key to Detected Contaminants Tables				
Symbol	Abbreviation for	Definition/Explanation				
MCLG	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal	The level of contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health.				
MCL Maximum _ Contaminant Level		The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.				
ppb	Parts per billion (one in one billion)	The ppb is equivalent to micrograms per liter. A microgram = 1/1000 milligram.				
Parts per million (one in one million)		The ppm is equivalent to milligrams per liter. A milligram = 1/1000 gram.				
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units	Measures the cloudiness of water,				
П	Treatment Technique	A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.				
AL	Action Level	The concentration of a contaminant, which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.				
n/a	Not applicable					
2	More than or equal to					

#### Southwest Water Treatment Plant 2000 Regulated Detected Contaminants Tables

					Allowed Level		inge	Major Sources in Drinking Water	
Contaminant			MCLG MCL		Law I am		High		
Inorganic Che	micals -	Annual	Monitoria	og at Plant	Finished W	ater Ta	p		
Fluoride	Sept. 2000	ppm	4	4	1.24	n/a	n/a	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive, which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.	
Nitrate	Sept.	ppm	10	10	0.36	n/a	n/a	Runoff from fenilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks; Sewage; Erosion of natural soils.	
Disinfection B		cts - Qu	arterly M	onitoring le	Distribution	n Syst	em		
Total Tohalomethanes	3/00-	ppb	n/a	100	24.8	22.9	24.8	By-Product of Drinking Water Chlorination.  bromoform. Compliance is based on the total. * New	

lighest Single Measurement	Lowest Monthly % of Samples Meeting Turbidity Limit of 0.5 NTU (minimum 95%)	Soil Runoff
0.30 NTU	100%	Soil Runoii

#### Southwest Water Treatment Plant 2000 Unregulated Detected Contaminants Tables

Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted.

THE RESERVE TO SERVE THE PARTY OF THE PARTY	Test	Units	'Future	'Future	Average Level	Range	
Contaminant	Date		MCLG	MCL	Detected	Low	High
Trichloromethane (Chloroform)	3/00-11/00	ppb	0	n/a	13.6	7.4	18.0
Bromodichloromethane	3/00-11/00	ppb	0	n/a	8.2	5.7	11.0
Dibromochloromethane	3/00-11/00	ppb	60	n/a	2.9	2.3	3.5
Bromoform	3/00-11/00	ргь	0	n/a	0.2	0.1	0.2

Chloroform, bromodichloromethane, dibromochloromethane, and bromoform are trihalomethanes. The MCL is set for the total or sum of these individual components.

\*New MCLG effective December 16, 2001.

#### Southwest Water Treatment Plant 2000 Regulated Detected Contaminants Tables

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Inorganic Che	micals -	Annual	Monitori	ng at Plant	Finished W	ater Ta	р	A STATE OF THE STA
Fluonde	Sept. 2000	ppm	4	4	0.94	n/a	n/a	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive, which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
Nitrate	Sept. 2000	ppm	10	10	0.46	n/a	n/a	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks Sewage; Erosion of natural soils.
Disinfection B	y-Produ	cts - Qu	arterly M	onitoring i	n Distributio	on Syst	em	
Total Trihalomethanes	3/00-	ppb	n/a	100	22.9	19.9	22.9	By-Product of Drinking Water Chlorination.

ighest Single Measurement	Single Measurement Lowest Monthly % of Samples Meeting Turbidity Limit of 0.5 NTU (minimum 95%)			
0.44 NTU	100%	Soil Runoff		

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Bromodichloromethane	3/00-11/00	ppb	0	n/a	7.2	5.4	10.0
Dibromochloromethane	3/00-11/00	ррь	60	n/a	2.4	1.8	3.3
Bromoform	3/00-11/00	ppb	0	n/a	0.1	0	0.2

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#### CITY OF INKSTER RESIDENTIAL LEAD AND COPPER TESTING

Contaminants	Test Date	UaM	Number of Samples Collected	Number of Samples Exceed AL	Action Level AL	90th Percentile Value	Major Sources in Drinking Water	Violation
Lead	June 1, 00/ Sept. 30,00	ppb	6	0	15.0	7.08	Corrosion of household plumbing systems: Erosion of natural deposits	МО
Copper	June 1,00/ Sept. 30,00	ppb	6	0	1300	74	Corrosion of household plumbing systems: Erosion of natural deposits	МО

## Information About Lead

Lead in drinking water is rarely the sole cause of lead poisoning, but it can add to a person's total lead exposure. All potential sources of lead in the household should be identified and removed, replaced or reduced.

Infants and young children are typically more vulnerable to lead in drinking water than the general population. It is possible that lead levels at your home may be higher than at other homes in the community as a result of materials used in your home's plumbing. If you are concerned about elevated lead levels in your home's water, you may wish to have your water tested and flush your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using tap water. Additional information is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800) 426-4791.

## Cryptosporidium

Cryptosporidium is a disease-causing parasite that lives in the intestinal tract of many animals including dogs and cats. Symptoms of infection include diarrhea, abdominal cramps, headaches, nausea and vomiting. The disease is typically spread through contact with feces of an infected animal or person and consuming contaminated food or water. Cryptosporidium can be introduced into bodies of water by way of surface water runoff containing animal waste, and sewage discharge. The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department has been testing for Cryptosporidium since 1994 and has not detected it in any of there source water supplies.

If you have any question about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact the Department of Public Service Water Department at (313) 563-9781. We want our valued customer to be informed about their water utility.

## Report Prepared By:

Peter Gurczynski, Superintendent Water Utilities City of Inkster

Publish: May 24, 2001



Front row left to right: Dawn Springer, Tracey Coffee, Tyler Johnson, Joshua Green, Chief Judge Tina Brooks Green, Paul Ward, Mallyn Ward, Court Administrator Johanna O'Grady-Ward and Lindsay Zachrey. Second row: Stephanie Jensen, Alex Debacker, Michelle Johnson, Kim Martin, Brittany Martin, Linda Palmatier, Shantrice Tatum, Donald Myles, Jackie Russell, Peggy Zechrey, Jerry Rohn, Rachel

# **Students earn money** for bullet-proof vests

By MIKE WILCOX MCN Publisher

Students at Summit Academy presented a \$700 check to the Romulus Police Department after they finished a fund-raising campaign to earn money for bullet-

proof vests. A second check for \$700 was also presented by Charles Kilanski, in memory of his father, Joseph Kilanski, a longtime Romulus resident. Accepting the check is officer Dan Leonard with his canine, Smokey.

## 96 Belleville students win scholarships

Scholarship awards totaling more than a half million dollars were earned by about one-third of the Belleville High School graduates who plan to attend college this

Presentation of certificates recognizing these scholarships was made by guidance counselors at the annual Senior Recognition Night, held May 15.

## Sons, daughters spend day with court employees

District Court employees celebrated "Bring Your Child to Work Day." Relatives of court employees received first hand knowledge of court procedures and toured the many departments that makeup the 34th District Court.

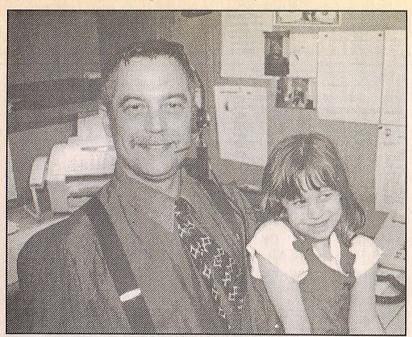
Among those in attendance were: Jerilynn Chapp, daughter of Melissa Chapp, probation department; Joey Coffee, son of Tracey Coffee, civil department; Joshua Green, son of Chief Judge Tina Brooks Green; Alex DeBacker, grandson of Judge William Szlinis; Stephanie Jensen, mentored by Dawn Springer, criminal department supervisor; and Tyler Johnson, son of Michelle Johnson, of the criminal department.

Others in attendance included Brittany Martin, daughter of Kim Martin, of the criminal department; Donald Myles, grandson of Jackie Russell, civil department; Lyndsey Robbins, daughter of

A couple of weeks ago, 34th Carrie Robbins, criminal department; Rachel Rohn, daughter of Jerry Rohn, criminal department; Shantrice Tatum, granddaughter of Jackie Russell; Mallyn Ward, daughter of Court Administrator Johanna O'Grady-Ward, and Lindsey Zachrey, granddaughter of Peggy Zachrey, criminal depart-

> Terry Shoenback, of the Van Buren Police Department and owner of the K-9 Academy, was joined by Ken Toney and Mike Eggleston of the Van Buren Police Department and Donald Leonard, from the Romulus Police Department to provide a demonstration of their highly trained "police dogs."

"It was so nice to have the opportunity to show our youth how the judicial system operates and to afford them such a wonderful learning experience," concluded O'Grady-Ward.



34th District Court criminal division clerk Jerry Rohn poses with daughter, Rachel, 5.

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## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES MAY 15, 2001

Supervisor King called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room Present: King, Payne, Budd, Hart, Herman, Jahr and Rochowiak. Absent and excused: None. Others in attendance: Recreation and Facilities Director Ross, Interim Public Safety Director Smolen, Interim Director of Development Delaney. Water and Sewer Director Duha, Executive Assistant Ireland, Secretary Cline and an audience of ten 10).

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Hart moved, Budd seconded to approve the agenda as presented, with removal of New Business Items #7 "Consider accepting the proposal from Wade-Trim to perform a sanitary sewer system evaluation" and #8 "Consider adoption of Resolution 2001-13, Storm Water Maintenance Agreement for Vanguard Industrial Park, LLC". Carried.

PUBLIC HEARING: Jahr moved, Herman seconded to open the public hearing to consider Special Use Approval to construct a 9,900 square foot addition for the Lodge Lanes Bowling Center, parcel numbers V 125-83-081-99-0012-001 and V 125-83-081-99-0012-703. Carried.

The applicant, Lodge Lanes Bowling Center is proposing a 9,900 square foot addition to add ten (10) bowling alley lanes and three (3) meeting rooms to their existing facility at 46255 Expressway. They own approximately 6.42 acres of property is zoned C-1 (General Business). Since Lodge Lanes is located within 150' of residentially zoned property, a special use approval is required under the Township's Zoning Ordinance.

The Planning Commission held a public hearing for this proposed Special Use at their meeting of March 28, 2001. There are two review letters from McKenna Associates dated April 5, 2001, at the Work Study meeting held yesterday it was noted that only one letter was attached which recommended the Special Use Approval. The second letter has now been included which recommends the site plan approval. The Planning Commission recommends the Township Board grant Special Use approval to Lodge Lanes Bowling Center in accordance with McKenna's review letters dated April 5, 2001 and subject to final site plan approval granted by the Planning Commission and the parcel combination.

Upon Board approval the Lodge Lane expansion will go back to the Planning Commission for those items that need to be addressed prior to final site plan approval. Items include a revised and dated site plan that addresses additional landscaping and additional documen-

There being no further discussion, a motion was made to close the public hearing.

Budd moved, Hart seconded to close the public hearing. Carried.

MINUTES: Rochowiak moved, Jahr seconded to approve the Work Study Session Minutes of April 30, 2001, as presented. Carried.

Payne moved, Hart seconded to approve the Executive Session Minutes of April 30, 2001 as presented. Carried.

Herman moved, Rochowiak seconded to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of May 1, 2001, as presented. Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE: Supervisor King presented the Feral Cat Public Informational Meeting Minutes of April 24, 2001. The audience participation portion of the meeting consisted of questions and comments regarding concerns of personal experiences with feral cats. The comments were summarized as follows: The audience is in support of licensing cats. The actions of the animal control officer are acceptable regarding live trapping, holding for four days for evaluation then euthanizing. Residents were encourage to contact the animal control officer to give permission to set live traps. No opposition has been received thus far, regarding procedures being followed by the animal control officer. Public education was encouraged regarding not feeding the stray cats. Professional organizations will be contacted, if necessary, to assist the animal control officer on an as needed basis.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: Herman moved, Rochowiak seconded to approve the Special Use Approval request to construct a 9,900 square foot addition for the Lodge Lanes Bowling Center, parcel numbers [V125-83-081-99-0012-001-001 and V125-83-081-99-0012-703] as outlined in the two letters dated April 5, 2001 from McKenna Associates. Carried.

Herman moved, Budd seconded to approve the first reading of Ordinance 05-15-01(1), to amend Zoning Ordinance 6-2-92, as amended, to rezone to add the Ecorse/Haggerty Road Corridor Plan Overlay to a portion [the easterly 7.5 acres] of parcel V125-83-047-99-0007-000 and all of parcel V125-83-047-99-0009-000. Carried.

Jahr moved, Hart seconded to approve the first reading of Ordinance

05-15-01(2), to amend Zoning Ordinance 6-2-92, as amended, to rezone a portion [the, easterly 7.5 acres] of parcel V125-83-047-99-0007-000 from C-1 (General Business to M-1 (Light Industrial) and parcel V125-83-047-99-0009-000 from AG (Agricultural) to M-1 (Light Industrial). Carried.

Herman moved, Payne seconded to approve first reading of Ordinance 05-15-01(3) to amend Zoning Ordinance 6-2-92, as amended, to amend text to add new Article VI Parking and Loading Requirements. Carried

\*(A synopsis of Ordinances 05-15-01(1), 05-15-01(2) and 05-15-01(3) follow the minutes. Copies of the full text are available in the Clerk's Office, Township Hall, 46425 Tyler Rd., during business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)

Jahr moved, Budd seconded to approve a one-year contract with an option for renewal with Midwest Backflow Prevention for cross connection, program services and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to execute the agreement. Carried.

Herman moved, Hart seconded to approve a contract with the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) for installation of casing under Michigan Avenue [in conjunction with the northwest water main phase II project] and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to execute the agreement. Carried and terrome

VOUCHER LIST: Budd moved, Rochowiak seconded to approve the voucher list of May 15 2001, as presented. Carried.

REPORTS: Supervisor King ordered the April 2001, Budgetary Report received and filed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Supervisor King, announced the Van Buren Township Recreation Department, Cops and Recreation Program has been nominated for a national award. This program includes the "Intergenerational Computer Camp", "Takin' it to the Streets" and "Camp with a Cop".

The Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority (YCUA) will be holding a Public Hearing on Thursday, May 24th at 7:00 p.m., at the Ypsilanti Township Civic Center, located at 7200 S. Huron River Drive, Ypsilanti Township to discuss tile proposed upgrades of the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The Environmental Protection Agency and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality will be holding a joint Public Hearing on Wednesday, May 23rd, at 7:00 p.m. at the Belleville High School Auditorium located at 501 West Columbia Court, Belleville, Michigan. The meeting is being held to receive public comments pertaining to the Wayne Disposal/Environmental Quality Companies hazardous waste facility permit modification.

Township Administrative offices will be closed on Monday, May 28, 2001 in observance of Memorial Day.

Treasurer Budd thanked Dr. Graf and his staff for helping to make the drive-thru dog clinic a success and over 100 dogs were licensed and vaccinated. Dog licenses are available at the Treasurer's Office.

The 2001 Fireworks Display will be held on Saturday, June 30th, at the Beck Road baseball fields at dusk. A rain-out date has been scheduled for Sunday, July 1st.

A new Junior Jazzercise program is being offered on Saturdays and spaces are still available. For more information about recreation programs contact the Recreation Department at 699.8921.

Air conditioning is currently being added to the gymnasium.

AUDIENCE (Non-Agenda Items): The Willow Garden [Quirk Subdivision | Sub Concerns Committee presented the Board with a drawing of what they would like to see done at the Wal-Mart Development. Supervisor King stated that a meeting to address the concerns previously brought forth by the residents was held with Wal-Mart officials, Township staff and Planning consultant and a positive resolution is being sought. A resident stated someone was looking at the lights and a light check was to be done tonight with light meters. He also stated his concern regarding ordinance violations (outside sales and storage) that had been corrected are reoccurring. The Supervisor said that Wal-Mart would be contacted about these issues.

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION:** None.

ADJOURNMENT: Hart moved, Rochowiak seconded to adjourn at 8:21 p.m. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Joannie D. Payne, CMC Township Clerk

Cindy C. King

Supervisor

Publish: May 24, 2001

## LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

# Care about the American flag

Boy how time flies, it's been two weeks since I wrote the first letter regarding American Rags (flags) that were being flown over businesses located in Westland and Wayne. I personally want to express my thanks to Councilwoman Eileen DeHart, who made this situation known at a recent city council meeting, and to the businesses that have already taken the appropriate steps to rectify this situation! Most are now flying a brand new Rew, White and Blue. It doesn't cost that much to be correct.

However, there is still one business in Westland that clearly does not care about the "American Flag" that symbolizes Freedom, or about the thousands of men and women that sacrificed, fought and died to maintain and protect the free enterprise system. It is apparent that this business owner enjoys the fruits, the financial gains from the sweat and toil of others.

One would think that they would be proud of Old Glory, or is our flag just a prop to make people in our community think this establishment is patriotic and to bring in the cash. I won't mention

the name of the business, but it's located on the southeast corner of Marquette and Wayne roads.

If you get a chance to stop by to say hello and check out this tattered torn rag they are flying.

Considering that Wayne Road to Westland City Hall will be the parade route this year, I personally take offense to the lack of respect that this business owner is exhibiting towards veterans.

When I stopped by this business to talk to the owner about this situation, I was scoffed at and told that if I would provide the funds, they would replace the flag. And, with that I walked out; but before I departed, I explained that it would be in their best interest to do the right thing before parade day and show the proper respect to all that have earned it. Especially toward those that have shed their blood on the battlefield to protect and ensure their freedom. In exchange, this establishment chooses to be indignant and

The argument of one's constitutional rights to burn, spit on, and fly this flag anyway they wish might come into play, very disgraceful, distasteful — but clearly not illegal. I find it despicable

that any individual would dishonor the highest symbol of our people and country in this manner.

But that's what "freedom" is all about. We may not always agree with what is written, said or the ideology of others, but these rights and freedoms of speech and personal expression have been bought, paid for and guaranteed by "Americans" who were willing to stand up and be counted. Soon I'll be exercising my Constitutional rights by expressing my views, and making it known to the other 250,000 veterans in Wayne County anyway I

This business clearly does not respect Old Glory.

I'm not telling anyone where to shop for your needs, it's a free country.

Let your conscience be your guide.

The longer they choose to fly this rag, the more my lips shall flap and pen shall write.

Your best bet — don't forget to honor our Vets.

God Bless America, Vince Berna Veterans Haven

## Cancer Society thanks

On May 19, well over 1,000 participants gathered at beautiful Heritage Park in Canton to combat one of the biggest health issues facing Americans today, cancer. Participants did their part by forming teams, raising funds, and walking for 24 hours in the third annual American Cancer Society Relay For Life held in Canton. Since the inception of Relay For Life in 1985, more than one half billion dollars has been raised, nationwide, for the fight against can-

This year, the Relay For Life in Canton raised a phenomenal

\$141,000, which will be spent by the American Cancer Society on research and fulfilling the needs of local cancer patients and their families. Additionally, the money will aid in our ongoing efforts to educate the public of the lifesaving benefits of early detection.

The American Cancer Society would like to extend its sincere appreciation to the individuals, teams, and companies who participated and made the Relay For Life a tremendous success. Specifically, we would like to thank Heritage Park for the wonderful site for the relay and Tom Yack for his continued support of

the event. The overwhelming support put forth by the sponsors, team captains, participants, and especially, the planning committee, certainly showcases the determination of the community to help end cancer.

To the greater community of Canton, the American Cancer Society extends its heartfelt appreciation and we look forward to continuing our relationship throughout the year.

Sincerely, Mary Partin Community Development Direc-

American Cancer Society

## Businesses thanked for M.E.A.P. awards

School staff and students would like to thank the following businesses for their generous gifts. The Wayne Dairy Queen, the Palmer-Wayne Road McDonald's, and the Central City Red Robin are valued supporters of Wayne Memorial High School.

The donations from these The Wayne Memorial High establishments were used to reward Students for their perfect attendance during the M.E.A.P. testing. Their contribution was an important incentive for our students.

The assistance of the parents and establishments such as these enable this school to ac-

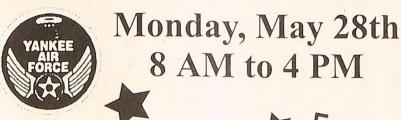
complish far more than it otherwise could. The businesses that contributed are especially valuable in bringing the schools and community together. On behalf of the parents, students and administration, I would like to thank you again.

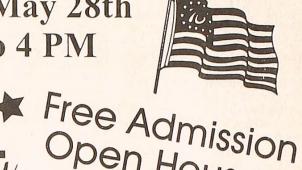
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## MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD MAY 7, 2001 IN THE COUNCIL

CHAMBER ROMULUS CITY HALL. 11111 S. WAYNE ROAD ROMULUS, MICHIGAN 48714.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by William Wadsworth, Chairman Pro Tern

Present:

LeRoy D. Burcroff, William A. Crova, Donald Morris, Michael A. Prybyla, Debbie Romak, William Wadsworth

Absent: Excused:

None Randolph Gear

Administrative Officials in Attendance: William Oakley, Mayor Linda R. Choate, Clerk Pamela Kersey, Treasurer

1. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to accept the agenda as presented.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-136

2A. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Morris to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held April 23,

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-137

3A. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Prybyla to grant Special Land Use Approval for PC-2001-010 to Swift Transportation Company for a truck terminal on a twenty (20) acre site located on the south side of Hildebrandt between Harrison and Inkster Roads (DP# 052 99 0026 701) in an MT-2 (Industrial Transportation 2) zoned district, subject to the recommendations of the City Planner, City Engineer, Department of Public Works, Fire Department, Police Department and submittal of a landscape agreement. Further, Hildebrandt Road must be improved to Class A standards prior to construction.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - Romak. Motion Carried.

01-138

3B. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to grant Special Land Use Approval for PC-2001-002 to Ron Jona & Associates for a 7-11

convenience store and Citgo gasoline station located on 1.16 acres at the northeast corner Ecorse and Hannan Roads (the southwest part of DP# 026 99 0015 000) in an C-3 (Highway Service) zoned district, subject to the recommendations of the City Planner, City Engineer, Department of Public Works, Fire Department, Police Department, submittal of a landscape agreement and approval of landscaping requirements by the City Administration and the City

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-139

3C. Motion by Crova, supported by Romak to deny Special Use Land Approval for PC-2001-008 to Mark T. Morris for a wireless cellular tower located at 15750 Merriman Road in an RC (Regional Center) zoned district due to the failure to pursue more adequate

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth, Nays - Morris, Motion Carried.

3D. No action taken.

3E. No action taken

01-140

4A. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to forward a communication to the Environmental Protection Agency requesting a Public Hearing be scheduled for the purpose of hearing comments on the proposed construction and operation of a Class I non-hazardous waste injection well to be located near Inkster and Ecorse Roads on Sun Pipeline Company property.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Romak to accept the Chairperson's Report.

Roll Call vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-141

5A. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Morris to approve the purchase and installation of an upgrade to the existing Police Department Property and Evidence Room computerized software under Bid 98-25 to Productivity Systems, Inc. in the amount of \$4,825.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-142

5B. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to award Bid 00/01-29 to Apollo Fire Equipment Co., in an amount not to exceed \$5,000.00 for the purchase of various size and length fire hoses.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-143

5C. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to enter into the Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport Water Distribution System Agreement between the City of Romulus and the County of Wayne, which pertains exclusively to the Water Distribution system for Metro Airport, and to authorize Mayor William Oakley to execute

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5D. No action taken.

01-144

5E. Motion by Morris, supported by Romak to approve the revised Final Preliminary Plat for the Fairways at Gateway Subdivision which includes reversing Subdivision 2 and Subdivision 3 subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

01-145

6A1. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Morris to approve the second reading and final adoption of Chapter 5, Sections 5-71 through 5-79 introduced at the meeting of April 23, 2001.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

11. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

RespecIfully submitted,

Linda M. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held May 7, 2001.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: May 24, 2001

# 'A perfect week'

# Rutkowski's shutout over Canton sparks Glenn's 3 big Lakes victories

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

John Glenn sophomore righthander Kyle Rutkowski turned in a five-hit pitching performance that jolted Plymouth-Canton, 2-0, in a Western Lakes Divisional baseball game.

Rutkowski's victory was sandwiched between two other impressive Glenn Lakes Division

wins last week. On Monday, Coach Todd Duffield's Rockets posted a 5-4 victory over a highly-touted Livonia Stevenson. Then, on Friday, the Rockets kept their momenington, 4-3, behind junior Craig Lewis's six-hit pitching.

Unfortunately, the three Lakes' victories were overshadowed by back-to-back, out-of-conference losses to two Taylor teams: Taylor Kennedy broke open a close game in the bottom of the fourth to turn back the Westlanders, 11-1. Later that afternoon, Glenn also lost to Taylor Truman, 4-0.

In the pitcher's duel between Rutkowski and Canton's Matt Staley, both hurlers were flawless until the fourth. In the bottom of that inning, Staley gave up a walk to Joe Cichowski, who stole sec-

tum going by edging North Farm- ond and scored when Ricky Verville came through with a

However, Verville was erased from the base paths when he attempted to reach home on Brandon Aljouny's base hit. Staley then issued Dave Mijal a walk, and Ajlouny scored what proved to be the winning run when Josh Day drilled a single into right

Staley, who completed the game, gave up only three hits, struck out two and also walked an equal number.

In posting his first shutout of the current campaign, Rutkowski chalked up seven strikeouts, walked none and was tagged for five hits.

Ajlouny padded his personal record to 6-1 on the year after holding off Stevenson's Spartans, 5-4. He tossed a seven-hitter, fanned eight and walked two for the win.

Stevenson started Tim Oliver, who was relieved by Danny Wilson in the sixth with the score tied at three-all. Wilson was charged with the loss.

The Rockets staged a two-run rally in the sixth thanks to Jeff Koslowski's single, a walk to Julian Fraser, and a Rutkowski's mishandled bunt that loaded the

Cichowski's fielder's choice scored the tie-breaker. A doublesteal with Fraser safely sliding across home plate gave the Rockets the insurance run.

On Friday, Lewis humbled North Farmington, 4-3, as he notched 10 strikeouts, walked three in a six-hit pitching perfor-

Lewis pitched himself out of trouble in the last of the seventh when North scored two times and had the tying run on second. In that last inning, Lewis gave up a one-out walk, a triple, a single for the second run, but then collected his second and third outs on a flyout and strikeout.

The Westlanders scored what proved to be their winning run in the sixth with two-away. Mike Grant hammered a game-winning two-run double with Rutkowski, who had singled, and Will Massey aboard.

In the race for the Western Lakes Conference championship, Farmington appears to have a lock on the Lakes Division title, while Farmington Hills Harrison stands atop of the Western Divi-

The two are scheduled to meet to decide the 2001 conference

## Oh, Brothers it wasn't his week

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Oh, brothers, it just wasn't varsity baseball Coach Keith Broth-

Not only did the Monday rains wipe clean a big 5-2 lead against Romulus' perennial thorn, River Rouge, but Brothers also saw a 7-1 lead against Mega-Gold Division leader Crestwood erased in a key conference game that the Dearborn Heights ball club finally won, 10-7.

"We were put out of the title race last week, so we're more spoilers than anything else," Brothers explained. "But we

> Romulus ran out of pitchers in the stretch again the Chargers.

wanted that Crestwood game so badly because they are the league leaders and we wanted to show them we could play with them."

Romulus ran out of pitchers in the stretch against the Chargers who rallied in the last inning to score seven runs.

On Monday, Brothers sent Alan Brohl up against the Panthers of Rouge and Brohl responded by throwing a two-hitter for three innings. Then, the skies opened up and the rains came and that was the end of the game.

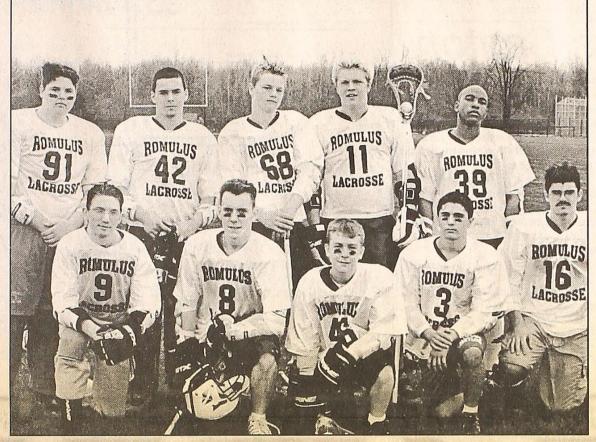
It just wasn't in the books for the Eagles.

"I guess we are going to have to reschedule this one, and I don't know if we are going to pick up where we left off."

In other games involving local teams, Plymouth-Canton and coach Scott Dickie bounced back from a crucial loss to Westland John Glenn (See Related Story on this page) to sweep a doubleheader from natural rival, Plymouth-

Canton's Jon Loos led the assault on Rocks' pitching in the opener as he carved out three hits, including a two-run double to spark the winners. Matt Staley fanned seven in chalking up the

In the nightcap, Canton exploded for a 11-5 victory as Joe Kondratek and Jay Sofen combined for six of the Chiefs' 10 hits. Sofen went three for four, while Kondratek drilled a single and double in four appearances at the plate. He also collected two runs



Romulus High made sports history in the area this spring when school officials announced that they were fielding a Lacrosse team. Charged with the challenge of competing in the rough sport and fielding the team is coach Jason Kahler. Team members include Jason Griggs (kneeling, from left), Brandon Malot, Tom Drayton, Chris Anderson and Jeremy Hendricks; the second row consists of Robert Rhinehart, Dan Patterson, Charles Smith, Andrew Blankenship and Larry Brown.

# Romulus' experiment with Lacrosse pays off

sentence, question by a inquisitive student, that went something like this: What's that?

And the answer provided by Jason Kahler to that question made sports history at Romulus High School and in the area. It put in motion the organizing of the first high school Lacrosse team at the high school and in

"I had opened up my car trunk, and this student spotted a stick that had this net attached to it, and he asked me about it," said Kahler. "I told him that it is a stick used in the sport and game of Lacrosse.'

Kahler said the student never heard of Lacrosse and asked more questions. Then he asked why the high school didn't have a team and whether one could be organized, and I replied: "I don't know why not.'

And that's how Lacrosse came to the City of Romulus, and to Romulus High School.

"It's a tough sport that, like

It started with a simple, one most others, requires training, physical and mental stamina and discipline," Kahler added.

When the message got out that Kahler was putting together a team some 25 prospects showed up for the organizational meeting not knowing what to find or expect. The regulation field is 60-yards wide and 110yards long. At each end there is a 6 feet by 6 feet goal, the prime target of the players.

Players score by advancing the ball, maneuvering past a maze of defenders, using the netted sticks, then hopefully firing it past the goalie. Much like the game of soccer, where players use feet, body and soul to advance the ball toward the goal, in Lacrosse players twirl and catch the ball in the nets at the end of six-foot sticks, as the vehicle to advance it. Each goal counts as one point.

There are, of course, rules of engagement.

At this point, Romulus unfortunately (and understandingly because it's a first-year sport at the high school) has a 0-13 record. Chris Anderson made history when he scored the firstever goal against Rochester. Anderson has four goals and Dave Boyd, three, and they lead their team in that department.

Josh Cutliff, Charlie Smith, Brian Buerhle, and Sultan Sharieff also have scored for the Eagles in this their inaugural season.

Romulus came close to earning their first win when, against Avondale, they took a 1-0 lead. But Avondale came back and

"I'm very proud of our team. The guys learn something every day. They always play with heart and pride.'

Kahler also pointed out that he usually has to remind team members that they should not be discouraged by setbacks.

"We have to remind ourselves that we started playing Lacrosse in March. None of the

See Lacrosse, page A-11

Wayne finishes 2nd in girls' Mega-Red golf

Behind outstanding individual performances by Amber Henn and Kayla Slezak, Wayne Memorial finished second-best at the Mega Conference, Red Division

girls' golf championships. It was the best-ever finish for Coach Carolyn Newton's team. Wayne wrapped up the regular season with a 7-3 league record.

Monroe captured the 2001 Mega-Red Division crown with a perfect 10-0 mark. Trailing the Trojans in the final standings were Wayne (7-3), Dearborn (7-3), Ypsilanti (3-7), Belleville (3-7), and Southgate Anderson (0-10).

Playing at the Pine View Golf Course in Ypsilanti, Henn shot an 89 to lead the Zebras. She trailed tournament medalist, Monroe's Katie Little, who scored a tourney

Wayne's Kayla Slezak rounded the course with a 101. It was the seventh-best individual perfor-

Henn and Slezak's efforts also earned them berths on the elite All-Mega-Red Conference team.

Slezak posted a 101 for her 18-holes and finished fifth in the field.

The top seven finishers in the division were awarded the designation of all-conference.

Slezak posted a 101 for her 18holes and finished fifth in the Wayne also counted the scores

of Cindy Diehl (121), Lindsay Fallow (126), Christina Youmans (136) and Becky Knight (139).

Named by the conference coaches to the All-Conference team are: Katie Little, (Monroe -86), Henn (Wayne - 89), Molly Spalding (Monroe - 90), Jenny Younglove (Monroe - 98), Kayla Slezak (Wayne - 101), Jenny Cravens (Dearborn - 101), and Brandi Smith (Dearborn - 101).

# Dawson drills his first HR

It was the first inning and Brandon Dawson stepped to the plate. The young ball player was about to experience something that he had waited the season for The Inkster High outfielder took a couple of pitches, then he saw a fastball that he liked and put his bat to it.

Dawson belted his first solo home run, sending a message to Fordson that the Vikings may be down, but they are not out.

"It was truly great," said Viking coach Jerome Orr who, with an 0-8 Mega-Gold record, has had little to smile about this year. "When Dawson's bat met the ball, you knew it was going." Where the ball went was over

the centerfielder's head and immediately put Inkster up 1-0 against a Fordson ball club that continues to battle for the divi-

Although dazed momentarily, Fordson came back and buried the Vikings 15-4.

Inkster's Kentrail Flicking was charged with the loss. He gave up seven hits to the Tractors, but four errors were costly and accounted for seven unearned runs. The senior righthander struck out three and walked two.

The Vikings got a total of six hits, two of those by Mike Turner. Jason Orr also laced a run-scoring double.

Weather permitting, the Vikings were scheduled to square off with natural rival, Robichaud, on Wednesday in the season's Mega-Gold finale for both schools.

The Vikings will bring the curtains down to the 2001 season on Thursday when Detroit Community Arts pays Inkster a visit.

# Storm delays Mega-Conference title showdown

# Wayne is still 'alive'

Monday's tornadoes and torrential rains may have wiped out Wayne Memorial's 1-0 lead over Carlson and the game, but it didn't stop Wayne's bid for a conference

baseball title. Coach Tom Wakefield and his Zebras remain focus on their goal and are "alive" in the race for the in control, the rains came. divisional championship.

That goal, according to the Wayne coach, is to win the Mega-Conference baseball title.

"We're still alive in this thing," said Wakefield, Monday evening after the rains dissipated. "There is a three-way tie for first place in our division. We have to play Taylor Kennedy in one of those `must' games. We win, we're 'in'; we lose, it's history.'

A victory over Carlson would have enhanced Wayne's chances, however. The rains created a waitand-see situation. Two-innings into the game and with the Zebras up, 1-0, and pitcher Ryan Ybarra

'There was no way that we could continue. We'll probably have to reschedule it.'

On Friday, Wayne trounced Wyandotte, 6-2, behind Adam Zimmerman's one-hitter. The Zebras trailed until the sixth when they tilted the scoreboard for all of their six runs.

In that turnaround inning, Marc Townsend led off with a grounder that was misplayed by the infield. Townsend then stole second and third and was doubled home by Jose Sabino.

Sabino moved to third when Greg Laws also got aboard on an error. With runners at first and

third, Jim Barter belted a sacrifice fly that drove in the tying run. Adam See got on as the Bruins' defense inexplicably collapsed under pressure. Wyandotte committed its third error of the inning.

Chris Montoya came through for the Zebras with a single to right that scored the go-ahead run and, when Pat Barter drilled a triple down the right field line, Wayne moved out in front with a 5-2 lead.

Zimmerman then helped his own cause with a single that drove in the sixth run of the inning, his team's final run of the game.

Zimmerman, who went the distance, twirled a three-hitter, struck out nine and walked two for the win.

Wayne split a doubleheader with highly-touted Garden City last week as the Zebras dropped the opener 6-4 and came back to

win the nightcap by a 4-1 margin. Against Allen Park, Wayne blew a 6-1 lead and fell, 9-8, as the Jaguars rallied for seven runs in

Jammed atop of the conference standings at the beginning of the week were Allen Park, Taylor

Kennedy and Wayne Memorial. We have a chance to win this

outright and this is the week that will tell," said Wakefield. In the meantime, Wayne also has an important date to play natural rival, Westland John Glenn, to determine whose season will end and which of the two Wayne-Westland schools will represent the school district at the district play-

John Glenn has been designated as a host school for a district, which will be played state-wide on

The two teams will meet at 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday at John Glenn in a pre-district qualifier. The winner will complete the playoff foursome which also includes Garden City, Livonia Franklin, and Livonia Churchill.

# EMU plans a 'special day' for Romulus football fans

The football season can't be that far away with announcements such as the one from Eastern Michigan University proclaiming that school officials at the Ypsilanti-based university are planning a "Romulus Day" for their season's opener.

EMU is sponsoring the special day for Romulus High students and Eagle fans, on Sept. 1, the 2001 season's opener.

Matt Lucas, Assistant Athletic Director, earlier this year met with Romulus School District officials and explained that all Romulus High students would receive free admission to the 6 p.m. game against Southeast Missouri State. Also, anyone accompanying the students would pay only half the ticket price or \$5.50.

Romulus has had a close work-

ing relationship with Eastern Michigan University for some time, and Romulus recently had 18 former students recognized on the 3.5 and above Dean's List, a EMU press release states.

EMU also will have the services of All-Area, All-Conference football stars Sam Estes, Daniel Jarrett, Michael Woods, Chris Talley, Myron Mosby, John Western and Ray Graves this season. The

7' remarkable players were awarded scholarships and will be beginning their careers at EMU

Lucas said he is very positive and enthusiastic about the 'Romulus Day' program. He pointed out that corporate sponsors will. pick up the tab for the free tickets offered to the Romulus High stu-

"This event will provide a quality experience for Romulus students to visit the Eastern Michigan campus and cheer on some of their former football heroes," Lucas noted.

The Romulus Eagles, under head football coach Wade Cook finished with a perfect 9-0 record a year ago. Cook took over the program last year after EMU hired former Romulus Coach Mark Woodson as an assistant coach.

Over the past three years, Cook and Woodson have managed to win 25 of their 27 games and have won Mega-Blue and Mega-Gold championships.

With Romulus talent in its lineup, EMU is working to duplicate Romulus' incredible record on the gridiron.

# **Nationally-ranked Westland** is off to fast softball start

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Westland's nationally-ranked softball club, LDJ/Varsity/Easton, didn't disappoint their fans or taint their pre-season ranking as they won the season's opening softball tournament staged last week in Harrison, Ohio.

Manager Larry Quartuccio's ball club captured the Bud-Lite Louisville Slugger Men's USSSA Class AA National Invitational ti-

And, in winning the tournament, Westland clinched a berth in the USSSA Class A World Series which will be staged Aug. 17-19 in Kansas City.

"One of the highlights in the tournament was that we defeated the USSSA 2000 World Series champions and also the runnersup," Quartuccio said. "Maroadi's is the USSSA 2000 Class A World Champions. If you recall they also won the Leonard J. Anderson tournament in Wayne a year ago. "This is definitely a great way to start our season.

Sam Gatto's two-run homer in the third lifted Westland to a 12-6 victory over Red's/J & J in the opening round of the tournament in Harrison, Ohio. Teammate Ron Lukasik missed hitting for "the cycle" when he failed to get a roundtripper.

Westland slugger Jason Riggs started the season with three singles and two RBIs, while Todd Wallace collected three hits, including a homer.

Against Mountain Top, it took a sensational catch by Kyle Cowart to preserve a 7-4 Westland victory. With two-away in the bottom of the seventh and bases loaded, Cowart went up on the centerfield fence and reached over to make a catch that robbed the batter of a grand slam' and saved the game for the Westlanders.

Cowart came back against Maroadi's and blasted a grand slam of his own to lead LDJ/Varsity/Easton to an impressive 23-16 victory. Chad Trudell also chipped in six RBIs on four hits, including a homer and double.

Pat Wayne, Bruce Wood, and Bob Stewart each doubled in a three-hit apiece afternoon.

Mountain Top came back and avenged their loss, 16-15, as Westland wasted Trudell's three homers and five RBIs. In the loss, Gatto also connected for two roundtrippers and five RBIs.

In the decisive rematch for the championship, it was Westland that prevailed. But barely. The Westlanders walked off the diamond with a 13-12 win over the Mountain Top as the champs scored eight runs in the sixth inning that was ignited by home runs from Chris Scheffer, Wood and Trudell.

# Wayne to offer tennis programs

If tennis is your game, the City of Wayne's Parks and Recreation Department may have just a program designed for your competi-

Recreation officials announced this week that they are offering a new summer tennis program for

Players may register through June 25 - and pre-registration is required - at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road.

Officials plan to offer two sessions: Session 1 is scheduled for June 26 until July 13; and Session II will run from July 17 until Au-

Classes will be conducted on Tuesdays and Thursdays. There is a \$30 registration fee for residents, ages 4 to 7; \$35 for non-residents in those ages brackets; ages 8 and up to high school, the fee is \$40

(resident) and \$45 for non-resi-

The adult registration fees are \$45 (resident) and \$50 (non-resi-

For further information about the upcoming program or any Wayne Parks and Recreation program, readers may contact the recreation offices by dialing 734-

## LaCrosse

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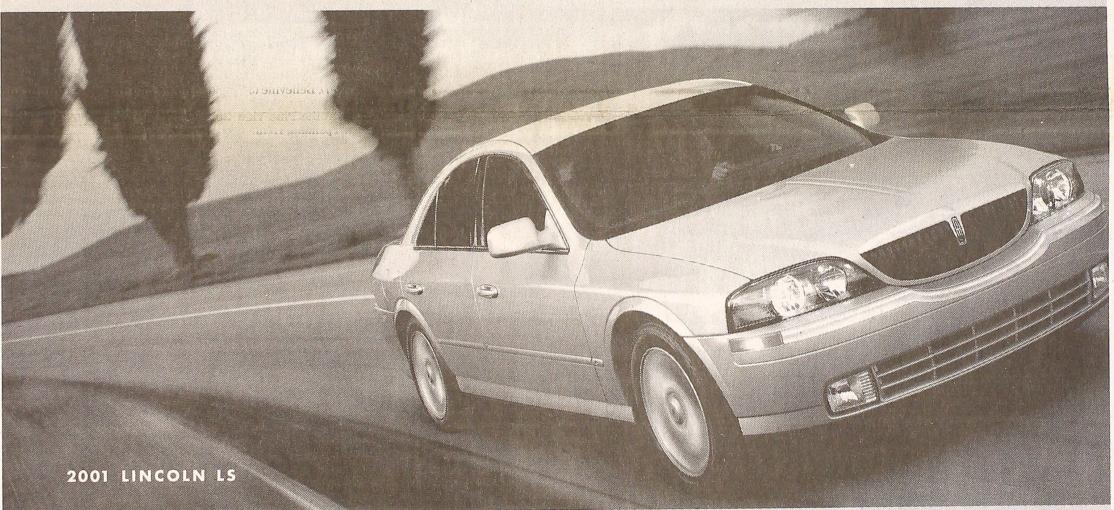
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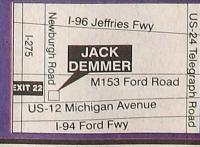
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Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at Mr. Stor-It, 5215 Merriman Road, Westland, MI on June 23, 2001 at 11:00 a.m., where the following will be sold.

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TENANT - Steven Queen UNIT -#107 CONTENTS - Fridge, 2 dressers, mini bike

TENANT - Elton Whittaker CONTENTS - Umbrella, 2 shelving units, tires, misc. car parts, 3 coolers, files, 2 bikes, dresser, chest, bubble wrap, misc. boxes & bags.

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TENANT - Raye Ann Jones CONTENTS - Birdcage, 2 bikes, weight bench, fans, fishing rod, small fridge, misc. boxes, bags

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TENANT - Nannette Wynn CONTENTS - Bike, chest, bed, crib, misc. boxes, bags

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#### 2. În Memoriam

#### MEMORIAL SERVICES

Friends of longtime Plymouth resident Henry Hees are invited to attend a Memorial Service in his honor at the First Presbyterian Church, Plymouth, Michigan on Saturday May 26, 2001 at 11:00 am. Mr. Hees passed away Decemb ember 18th, 2000 at

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Martin Jeffery Hackler and wife, Shirl Ranee Hackler VS.

Roberta Jean Malanowski

#### PUBLICATION

In this cause, it appearing from the complaint, which is swom to, that the defendant, Roberta Jean Malanowski, is a non-res-ident of the State of Tennessee and/or of unknown residence, so that ordinary process cannot

#### 6. Legal Notices

## **NOTICE OF** PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Thursday, March 31, 2001 at 10:00 a.m., at Mayflower Auto Transport, Canton, MI, County of Wayne, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

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1989	Pontiac	Lemans	2 DR	KL2TX216KB348148



be served upon said Roberta Jean Malanowski. It is ordered that said defendant file an an-swer in the Chancery Court of Roane County, at Kingston, Tennessee, and with Plaintiff's Attorney, Charles Ridenour, whose address is P.O. Box 444, Sweetwater, Tennessee 37874, within thirty (30) days of 378/4, within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgement by default may be entered and the cause set for hearing ex parte, as to said Roberta Jean Malanowski, for the relief demanded in the com-

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This is the 30th day of March, 2001.

Shannon Conley, Clerk and

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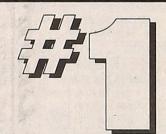
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